



PUBLIC NOTICE

PUBLIC HEARING OF DRAFT ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT REPORT

The Russian River County Sanitation District (RRCSD) has prepared a Draft Environmental Impact Report (EIR) pursuant to the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) to assess potential environmental effects of their Equalization Basin Storage Project (Proposed Project).

The Proposed Project would result in the development of an earthen equalization basin and appurtenant structures within the existing boundaries of the RRCSD's Wastewater Treatment Plant (WWTP). The Proposed Project would consist of the construction, operation, and maintenance of an equalization basin that measures approximately 250 x 150 feet and has a nominal capacity of 3.5 million gallons. A pump station would be constructed adjacent to, or within, the equalization basin to pump the wastewater to the headworks (front end) of the WWTP as treatment capacity becomes available or as upset conditions are resolved.

The Public Hearing will be held in the Board of Supervisor's Chambers at 11am on Tuesday, September 18, 2007. Public comments will be taken at the hearing.

RRCSD has established a 45-day review period which begins **August 15, 2007** and extends to **October 1, 2007**.

Written comments on the Draft EIR may be submitted to:

Sonoma County Water Agency
Attn: Jeff Church, Senior Environmental Specialist
PO Box 11628
Santa Rosa, CA 95406-1628

You may also submit your comments electronically at the Agency's website:
www.sonomacountywater.org

DOCUMENT AVAILABILITY: The Draft EIR is available for public review at the following locations during normal business hours:

**Sonoma County Water
Agency**
404 Aviation Boulevard

Santa Rosa, CA 95403

**Guerneville Regional
Library**
14107 Armstrong Woods
Road
Guerneville, CA 95446

**Sonoma County
Central Library**
211 E Street

Santa Rosa, CA 95404

Persons interested in reviewing the Draft EIR, receiving a copy of the document, or in reviewing documents referenced in the EIR, are invited to contact: **Jeff Church, Sonoma County Water Agency, 707-547-1949**.